

**MONTANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
UTILITY DIVISION
AGENDA NO. 02-04-15**

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For Work Week Commencing: April 15, 2002
Business Meeting: April 15, 2002, 1:30 p.m.

General Introduction This agenda is the Commission's Utility Division agenda for the work week designated. In the later part of each week (generally, Thursday by 2:00 p.m.) prior to the work week to which an agenda pertains, the agenda is posted on the public information bulletin board at the Commission offices, deposited in the mail directed to all persons who have properly requested notice by mail, emailed to all persons who have properly requested notice by email, and posted to the Public Service Commission's worldwide web site located at <http://www.psc.state.mt.us>.

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Work Sessions All items identified below are for Commission discussion or action on the day designated.

1. D2001.10.144 – MPC/NWE Default Supply Portfolio – Placeholder to address issues as they arise. (4/15/02)
2. D2001.7.98 – Clark Fork Telecommunications – Access Tariffs – Discussion and action on motion for protective order and objections to data requests. (4/15/02)
3. D2002.3.29 – Integretel - Unauthorized charges on telephone bills - Placeholder to discuss and act on Integretel's motion for a protective order, if filed. (4/15/02)
4. D2000.5.70 – Qwest 271 – Final Report on Section 272 – Commission direction. (4/15/02)

5. D2000.5.70 – Qwest 271 – Qwest Performance Assurance Plan--QPAP –
To discuss and get action on a draft final report. (4/15/02)

Weekly Scheduling Meeting – Will be held at 8:45 a.m. on the day of the Business Meeting

Action Items All items identified below are for action at the Commission business meeting.

Notice Items All items identified below are noticed for public participation purposes. Unless otherwise stated in the text of the notice, the items will be action items on the next following agenda or a subsequent agenda and participation may be had by submitting written comments to the Public Service Commission, 1701 Prospect Avenue, P.O. Box 202601, Helena, Montana, 59620-2601, within 5 calendar days following publication of this agenda. Public comments on a noticed matter may also be submitted within the required time through the PSC's web-based comment form at <http://psc.state.mt.us/PublicComment/PublicComment.htm>. Comments should reference the docket number of the matter.

1. Qwest Communication Docket No. N2002.4.39 (Scott)

On March 28, 2002, Qwest filed tariff transmittal. 02-07 proposing a new package service for residence customers called PopularChoice. Residential customers subscribing to the PopularChoice package are entitled to select any number of the following services/features and are entitled to unlimited use of those services/features: Anonymous Call Rejection, Call Forwarding, Call rejection, Call Waiting or Call Waiting ID, Caller ID-Name & Number, Continuous Redial, Easy Access (*98), Last Call Return, Long Distance Alert, Message Waiting Indication –Audible, or Message Waiting Indication-Audible/Visual, Non-listed Service Listing, Security Screen, Talking Call Waiting, Three-Way Calling U S WEST Receptionist-Name & Number, and Voice Messaging Service. The package also includes an individual flat-rate residence line (1FR) or an additional flat-rate residence line. The package will sell for \$34.95 per month including the features and the line.

2. QWEST, N2002.4.40 (Dave B)

On March 28, 2002, Qwest filed Tariff Transmittal 02-08, requesting a promotion for residential customers called Residence Product Save Offer Promotion. Residence customers who request to have one or more products disconnected, and after being informed of the product's benefits, may be offered a one time product discount in the form of a credit(s) to their bill. The products included are; CustomChoice, Additional Lines with one or more product features, Caller ID and Call Waiting. The requirement of an earlier promotion which required the customer to retain the product for six months to get the credit has been removed. Discounts range from \$5.00 to \$45.00. Qwest is requesting that this promotion run from April 29, 2002 through July 27, 2002.

Information Items All items identified below are for information only.

Tentative Action Items for Agenda 02-04-23

New Filings Received in Past Week

- N2002.4.39 Qwest - Tariff Transmittal 02-07 - PopularChoice (new service package for residential customers)
- N2002.4.40 Qwest - Tariff Transmittal 02-08 - Residence Product Save Offer Promotion